

# County of Los Angeles Fire Department

## Our Vision

*The Los Angeles County Fire Department will be an exemplary organization acclaimed for our national reputation, our regional strength and our hometown attentiveness as we provide fire protection and life safety services.*

## Mission Statement

*The mission of the Los Angeles County Fire Department is to protect lives, the environment, and property by providing prompt, skillful and cost-effective fire protection and life safety services.*

## Core Values

**Integrity**

**Teamwork**

**Caring**

**Courage**

**Commitment**

**Community**



FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION HEADQUARTERS  
5823 Rickenbacker Road  
Commerce, CA 90040-3027

## REGIONAL OFFICES

### CENTRAL REGION OFFICES

Carson Office  
701 E. Carson St.  
Carson, CA 90749

Lynwood Office  
3161 Imperial Hwy  
Lynwood, CA 90262

Hawthorne Office  
4475 W. El Segundo Blvd.  
Hawthorne, CA 90250

West Hollywood Office  
864 N. San Vicente Blvd  
West Hollywood, CA 90069

County Facilities/High Rise Unit  
6031 Rickenbacker Rd.  
Commerce, CA 90040

### EAST REGION OFFICES

Pomona Office  
590 S. Park Ave.  
Pomona, CA 91766

Glendora Office  
231 W. Mountain View Ave.  
Glendora, CA 91741

Azusa Office  
605 N. Angeleno Ave.  
Azusa, CA 91702

Covina Office  
400 N. Citrus Ave.  
Covina, CA 91723

Cerritos Office  
19030 Pioneer Blvd.  
Cerritos, CA 90701

Industry Office  
15660 Stafford St.  
Industry, CA 91744

East Los Angeles  
4801 E. Third St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90022

Arcadia Office  
125 S. Baldwin Ave.  
Arcadia, CA 91006

La Habra Office  
850 W. La Habra Blvd.  
La Habra, CA 90633

Petroleum Chemical Unit  
5660 Stafford Street  
Industry, CA 91744

Commerce Office  
2535 Commerce Way  
Commerce, CA 90040

### NORTH REGION OFFICES

Calabasas Office  
26600 Agoura Rd.  
Calabasas, CA 91302

Santa Clarita Office  
23757 Valencia Blvd.  
Valencia, CA 91355

Lancaster Office  
335-A E. Ave. K-6  
Lancaster, CA 93535

Palmdale Office  
38250 N. Sierra Hwy  
Palmdale, CA 93550

Public Safety & Film Unit  
14425 Olive View Drive  
Sylmar, CA 91342

### SPECIAL UNITS OFFICES

Arson/Fire Investigation Unit  
3615 Santa Anita Avenue  
El Monte, CA 91731

Schools & Institutions North  
125 S. Baldwin Ave.  
Arcadia, CA 91006

Schools & Institutions South  
7733 Greenleaf Ave.  
Whittier, CA 90602

Schools & Institutions Gardena  
1650 W. 162nd St.  
Gardena, CA 90247

# County of Los Angeles Fire Department Proclaims Fire Prevention Month - October 2014



**What You Need to Know**  
**Lo Que Usted Necesita Saber**



[www.fire.lacounty.gov](http://www.fire.lacounty.gov)

## *October is Fire Prevention Month...*

### *TEST YOUR SMOKE ALARM EVERY MONTH!*

#### ***PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR FAMILY TODAY***

In the event of a fire, properly installed and maintained smoke alarms will provide an early warning alarm to your household. This alarm could save your own life and those of your loved ones by providing the chance to escape.



#### ***PROTÉJASE Y SU FAMILIA HOY***

En el acontecimiento de un fuego, las alarmas del humo apropiadamente instaladas y mantenidas proporcionarán una alarma temprana de advertencia a su casa. Esta alarma podría salvar su propia vida y la de sus seres queridos y darles la oportunidad de evacuar.



In a fire, particularly at night, your family may not get a second chance. Everyone must be prepared through regular home fire drills to use the emergency escape routes instinctively. Get your family together and discuss:

1. Make an escape plan. The majority of people have an escape plan in case of a fire; most have not practiced it.
2. Practice your plan twice a year, making the drill as realistic as possible.
3. Walk through your home and inspect all possible exits and escape routes. Make sure everyone understands the escape plan. Check to make sure the escape routes are clear and your doors and windows can be opened easily.
4. Install smoke alarms in every hallway, in each sleeping area, and every level of your home. Test smoke detectors once a month.
5. Choose an outside meeting place (i.e., neighbor's house, a light post, mailbox, or stop sign) that is a safe distance in front of your home where everyone can meet after they have escaped. Make sure to mark the location of the meeting place on your escape plan.
5. If there are infants, older adults, or family members with mobility limitations, make sure that someone is assigned to assist them in the fire drill and in the event of an emergency. Assign a backup person too, in case the designee is not home during the emergency.
6. If windows or doors in your home have security bars, make sure that the bars have emergency release devices inside so that they can be opened immediately in an emergency. Emergency release devices will not compromise your security, but they will increase your chances of safely escaping a home fire.
7. Cover your fireplace with a sturdy metal screen.
8. Have your furnace and chimney inspected by a professional once a year.
9. Be fully prepared for a real fire. When a smoke alarm sounds, get out immediately.
10. Once you are out, stay out! Under no circumstances should you ever go back into a burning building. If someone is missing, inform the fire department dispatcher when you call. Firefighters have the skills and equipment to perform rescues.